

Weather
Mild and cloudy. The maximum temperature yesterday was 63.5 and the minimum 52; the figures for the corresponding day last year being 55 and 47.7.

The China Press

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The Mail Box
MAILS for America-Europe, Str. Emp. of Asia, today; Ord. and sea. 3 p.m. reg. 3 p.m.
FOR Europe and way ports, Str. Khyber, Apr. 10.
FROM America and Europe Str. Kashima Maru, Apr. 6.

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ALL FOREIGN POST OFFICES IN CHINA MAY BE CLOSED

Postal Conference Approves Peking's Proposal; No Confirmation Here

GOVERNMENTS SOUNDED

No Notification Received Here By Any Office To Prepare For Shutdown

All of the foreign postoffices in China, including American, British, French and Japanese, are to be closed in the near future, according to a note published in the Peking Leader on March 29. The closing is to come as the result of a proposal made by the Chinese government officials, and approved by the International Postal Conference. Memoranda has been sent, the article says, to the various governments which have postoffices on Chinese soil, with the request that they abide by the decision of the Postal conference.

No official confirmation of the pending closing of foreign postoffices could be obtained at the local American, British or French branch postoffices yesterday. Rumors of a closing have been current but, to date, no official notifications have reached here to prepare for a shut-down. The American, British and the French postal authorities, the Leader article states, have all replied that they are taking steps toward this end and have instructed their postal authorities to wind up their business as soon as possible and a definite date will be designated for the closing up of their respective post offices. Japanese alone, as is usual, persisted in their encroachment upon the Chinese sovereignty by remaining silent on this point and took no actions whatsoever on this matter.

Japan Enters New Year With Largest Budget In History

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Tokyo, April 1.—Today the Government enters upon a new fiscal year with the largest budget since the adoption of constitutional government in Japan.

Various financial experts who have been interviewed express the opinion that receipts from the budget have been over-estimated, in view of the lack of improvement in business conditions and the unlikelihood of improvement this year, and that therefore the Government will be compelled to postpone naval building, which constitutes the largest item. They say that even in the productive work of railway administration considerable curtailment of expenditure and reduction of staffs is contemplated, and that therefore the unproductive naval expansion which is so much discussed cannot be realized for at least a year.

British Revenues For Year Increase

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 31.—The revenue for the financial year ended today is £1,425,984,666 as compared with £1,339,571,381 in 1919-20. The revenue for the past quarter was £357,180,938 as compared with £343,319,677 for the corresponding period of 1920.

The revenue exceeded the estimate by £7,684,666, while expenditure totalled £1,195,000,000—£75,750,000 less than the estimate.

These results may be regarded as most satisfactory in view of the great and unanticipated trade depression.

Passenger Steamer Sunk In Collision

(Reuter's Service)
Seattle, March 31.—The passenger steamer Governor was sunk this morning off the coast of Washington as the result of a collision with the freighter West Hardland, sailing from Seattle to Bombay. It is believed that all her passengers escaped.

CHESS IN HAVANA

(Reuter's Service)
Havana, March 31.—In the Chess match, reported yesterday, between Jose Capablanca and Dr. Emmanuel Lasker, the latter at the forty-third move suggested a draw, but Capablanca refused, and forced Dr. Lasker to resign after three more moves.

America's Most Perfect Girl Picks Her Own Perfect Husband



Mrs. Frank Glass Valentine

ALTHOUGH Frank Glass Valentine, of Jersey City, is unknown to official experts as America's most perfect Adonis, there is at least one specialist who is certain he has no equal. And that specialist is his bride of a few days, who was Miss Betsy Buell, of Clinton, Conn. Mrs. Valentine is undoubtedly a specialist on the subject, for in April, 1918, she was awarded the Smithsonian Institution verdict as the most perfect American woman. Mrs. Valentine is a daughter of Clarence Buell, and is a direct descendant of John and Priscilla Alden. After a five years' search Dr. A. Herdlika, of the Smithsonian Institution, selected Miss Buell as the most perfect type of American womanhood from a list of more than 5,000 contestants.

EMPRESS OF ASIA DUE THIS MORNING OUT TOMORROW

Nanking Due Tomorrow, Sails At Night; Unusually Large Lists

One hundred and eight passengers are arriving in Shanghai this morning from the C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, by the tender Alexandra, due at the Customs Jetty at approximately 10 o'clock. The Asia outbound, will have an unusually large passenger list. It was necessary today to order the services of a second launch, the Victoria, to accommodate the departing voyagers. The Victoria, and the Alexandra will dock at the Customs Jetty this afternoon at four o'clock. All baggage must be aboard the tenders by 4:45 o'clock. The leaving time is scheduled for 5 o'clock sharp.

The Asia is expected to arrive off Woosung at 8 o'clock this morning, and to sail at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The Asia is carrying an exceptionally large consignment of mail this trip, due to the fact that pouches have been held back from the Columbia and other ships already sailed, because the Asia's speed will put it into Vancouver days ahead of any of the recent departures. Mails all the American postoffice, for the Asia close at 2 p.m. for registered, and 3 p.m. for ordinary and seaplane.

Among those on the Asia's passenger list are the Very Rev. C. J. P. Symons, dean of the Holy Trinity Cathedral, his wife, daughter, and son-in-law, British Consul H. H. Bristol, of Newchwang, wife and children, all of whom are leaving on vacations. Dean Symons, on this trip, is taking his first vacation in seventeen years.

The next Eastward bound ship will be the China Mailer Nanking, due off Woosung Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and leaving for San Francisco, via Yokohama and Honolulu Sunday night.

The tender from the Nanking will reach the Jetty, with incoming passengers and mail at about 1 p.m. Sunday, and will leave again, with outbound passengers and hand baggage at 4 p.m. All heavy luggage must be delivered to Lighter No. 16 at the Kiukiang Road Jetty today between 2 and 5 p.m. Hand baggage must reach the Customs Jetty at 3:45 p.m.

BRITAIN PLANS TARIFF TO OFFSET EXCHANGE RATE

Resolutions To Be Submitted To Commons Call For Protection

TO PROHIBIT DUMPING

Duty May Be As High As 33 1-3 Percent Advalorem For Five Years

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 31.—The terms are published of the resolutions, which it is proposed to submit to the House of Commons in Committee of Ways and Means, to give effect to the Government's promise of legislation to safeguard British industries from foreign competition. The resolutions, which, if passed, will be given effect in this year's Finance Act, provide for an ad valorem duty of 33 1-3 percent for five years on certain commodities, regardless of the country whence they are imported. These include chemical and scientific glassware, magnetos and tungsten products, which mostly come from Germany and are already subject to a 50 percent tax under the Reparations Act.

They also provide for an additional customs duty of 33 1-3 percent in order to check dumping and to protect British manufacturers against the competition of foreign goods which, owing to the depreciation of currencies, can be sold in Great Britain at prices below those at which they can presently be manufactured in England.

Japanese Prince Active At Colombo

(Reuter's Service)
Colombo, March 31.—The Crown Prince of Japan yesterday afternoon paid visits to the Dalada Maligawa temple and the Presidential botanical gardens. This morning he came ashore again and visited the museum, after which he made a motor trip to Mount Lavinia. In the afternoon he went golfing with the Governor on the ladies' links, and this evening there was a banquet on board the Katori. His Imperial Highness will resume his voyage at daybreak tomorrow.

Colombo, April 1.—The Crown Prince of Japan left here at 9:15 o'clock this morning on the Katori.

New York City Bonds Find No Purchasers

(Reuter's Service)
New York, March 31.—Owing to the high level of money rates in the United States, no sales resulted from the recent invitation of tenders for \$347,000,000 in New York City bonds. Only a few bids were received, and these were mainly on the basis of six percent interest, or higher, and the City's Treasury officials declined to consider them.

Matinees Aid Fund For Ex-Service Men

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 31.—Over four hundred matinees on behalf of Earl Haig's fund for ex-service men were given throughout the country today on the occasion of Warriors' Day.

Frivolous Yellow Footwear Banned At Town Hall Dance

Ancient Municipal Council Blue Law Read At Last Night's Dance—Results: Dancers Swapping Shoes Between Every Waltz And Fox Trot

There's a little sign at the entrance to the Town Hall ball room, which reads: "Dancing shoes, only, permitted" and there's a regulation hidden away somewhere in the Council's Blue Laws, which advises that yellow shoes are taboo at any public dance.

The foreign officer detailed to yesterday's public dance to see that the boys and girls did not "shimmy" and otherwise misbehave themselves evidently believes in signs, and disbelieves in yellow shoes.

When the music got going, and its strains had persuaded feet to move, Mr. Officer observed, to his horror, that many, almost half of the dancers were clad in sparkling ochre shoes (among other things), and they didn't seem to care who knew it.

Daniels, As News Hound, Haunts His Old Stamping Ground

(Reuter's Service)
New York, April 1.—By an odd revolution of the wheel of fortune, Mr. Daniels, the former Secretary of the Navy, has returned to his earlier vocation of newspaper correspondent, and calls daily at the Navy Department enquiring for news.

KARL PROCLAIMS DICTATORSHIP; TO ATTACK CAPITAL

Ex-emperor Has Army Of 15,000 Ready To March On Budapest, Report

(Reuter's Service)
Vienna, March 31.—The newspapers announce that a military dictatorship has been proclaimed at Steinmanger by order of the ex-emperor Karl, who has appointed General Lehar to command an army, reported to number 15,000, which is ready to march on Budapest.

According to the "Neues Wiener Journal," 30,000 Jugo-Slav troops are massed at Varasdin with the object of marching on Steinmanger and preventing the restoration of the Hapsburgs.

London, April 1.—A telegram from Budapest to a Pribourg newspaper states that the Regent Admiral Nicholas von Horthy has resigned his authority to Karl, and that several garrisons have acclaimed the latter a king; while the various authorities and troops marching on Budapest have been joined by the enthusiastic population. Count Andrássy, it states, has been appointed Premier, and has sent an ultimatum to Budapest.

Members Of League Pay Dues Promptly

(Reuter's Service)
Geneva, March 31.—The League of Nations states that over 97 percent of the £297,000 representing the first budget of the League has been paid in. All the members of the League have paid their allotted share except Argentina, Paraguay and Salvador.

Of the second budget of 10,000,000 gold francs, covering the period from July 1 to December 31 last, 7,250,000 have already been received.

U.S. Business Still Sluggish, Banks Say

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, March 31.—The report of the Federal Reserve banks for March states that business uncertainty continues, and that a waiting attitude is observable on the part of producers, except those in special lines like automobiles, textiles and footwear. A better demand for labor will probably result only upon increased activity in special industries. Silk mills show a slightly larger production. Favorable weather conditions have resulted in the harvesting of the remainder of the cotton crop.

Australia Slashes Ocean Freight Rate

(Reuter's Service)
Melbourne, March 31.—The Federal Government has ordered a 33-percent reduction of freights by Commonwealth steamers for shipments of flour to the Far East. This step has been taken with a view to meeting American competition, and in harmony with the decreases authorized by shipping companies trading between Australia and the Far East.

Missing Airmen Perished, Belief

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, March 31.—The acting Secretary of the Navy has opened an enquiry into the disappearance of the naval balloon, manned by Chief Quartermaster E. W. Wilkinson and four others, which left Pensacola, Florida, on March 22. The general opinion is that the balloon fell into a swamp on the Florida coast and that the men perished.

Germans Approach U.S. On Reparations

(Reuter's Service)
Berlin, March 31.—In the course of exploring the paths towards a solution of the reparations problem, it is understood that Germany recently approached the United States with an offer to discuss the question of the latter taking over a portion of the Allied indebtedness to America, subject to the consent of the other parties.

5 POLICE KILLED, 14 DISAPPEAR IN NEW ERIN BATTLE

Sinn Feiners Attack Barracks At Rosscarberry, County Cork

BOMB WRECKS BUILDING

British Embassy At Washington Issues Statement On Distress In Ireland

(Reuter's Service)
London, March 31.—It is reported that five police were killed and fourteen are missing as the result of a Sinn Fein attack on the police barracks at Rosscarberry, County Cork, at 2 o'clock this morning. The front wall of the barracks was blown in by a bomb, thrown against the barracks, on which a heavy rifle fire was directed. The police held the barracks until the room in which they were concentrated took fire, when the able-bodied amongst them escaped by the window.

Washington, March 31.—The British Embassy has issued an announcement, evidently in connection with President Harding's recent compliance with the request of a group of Irish leaders in New York to wish success to the forthcoming meeting for the purpose of raising funds for the distressed women and children in Ireland. The President, expressing American sympathy with the sufferers, referred to the Irish kinship of many Americans.

The British Embassy points out that charitable organizations, constituted on a strictly non-political basis and desiring to deal impartially to aid the distress in Ireland, would not encounter unnecessary difficulty. The statement adds that there would be no distress there which could not adequately be met from British sources if the parts of Ireland which are Sinn Fein in sympathy did not refuse to accept money raised in the United Kingdom, but preferred to appeal to American charity.

London, March 31.—Lord Ronald Dunsany, the Irish Home Ruler, who has arrived here aboard the Makura has been allowed to land on condition that he proceed to England later.

Life Of A Juror Not So Bad In This Town

Crumpets and tea and everything will hereafter be served to women jurors if Samuel Harrison, Justice of the Peace in Evanston, Ill., has his way. The Judge thinks the Court should serve tea while the women are waiting to be called for duty. The Judge is showing doing the honors for several prospective jurors.

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Scoot, If You Live In Sh'ngai

Dodge Out Of The Way Of The Chauffeur Perils Who Drive Motor Cars In The City's Streets

Hop, Or Your Name Is Hash

BY ELSIE MCCORMICK
Sometimes people wonder why explorers who come to China to penetrate the heretofore most impenetrable of Tibet or to court a free burial by trying to take the Living Buddha's pet prayer wheel home for a souvenir never get any farther than Shanghai. But after taking a death-defying leap homeward in our daily 5:15 commuting risha, we know the reason. No dangers among the white peaks of Central Asia, no riding of yaks over unexplored passes, no trying to sneak out of a temple with Buddha's sacred paraphernalia can compare with the thrills of traffic dodging on Nanking Road.

The Chinese chauffeur is a playful little fellow, much given to scraping the paint off rishas, fond of turning corners on two wheels, and ever delighting to prove the old adage that the automobile is quicker than the pedestrian. The domesticated variety, wild as they seem to the hounded proletarian in a risha, is far more tame than the members of the specie caught fresh by the Traffic Department. Becoming a chauffeur in Shanghai is by no means as easy as being run over by one.

The Chinese who would a-chauffeur go, must first submit to an eyesight test imposed by the Traffic Department, and consisting in the counting of black dots placed irregularly on a white background. The excellent eyesight of Shanghai chauffeurs is demonstrated by their unflinching ability to see and make for every risha or pedestrian on their line of progress.

STUDIES DURING REPAIRS
If passed, the candidate is issued a learner's license, which permits him to drive in the outskirts of the city. In the central districts, however, he must be chaperoned by a properly licensed chauffeur. He is also given a copy of Shanghai traffic regulations to study in the intervals of waiting for the car to be repaired.

Then, after submitting a letter from his prospective employer, he returns to the Traffic Department at the end of the month to undergo his final examination. If he shows due glibness in quoting the regulations, he is taken about town by a traffic officer in order to demonstrate his ability. The chauffeur who does not climb too many telegraph poles or kill too many policemen on his initial trip may still be off of luck if the Fingerprint Department to which he is next escorted discovers that he was among last season's debutantes at the Mixed Court. The Traffic Department protects employers by taking chauffeurs' fingerprints and checking them up with records already in the possession of the police. It also keeps copies of "characters" given by past employers,

which may be consulted by anyone interested. The neophyte chauffeur, whose record is clear, undergoes the next stage of his initiation by receiving an interim license which gives him the right to drive until a regular license is ready. Once having received a license, the chauffeur may hold it until he gives up his employment or is sacked by an exasperated master.

NOT AUTO SURGEONS
The department requires no knowledge of mechanics. Shanghai chauffeurs need know nothing about the anatomy of an automobile—asthma in the carburetor, or bronchial troubles in the spark plugs mean little in the lives of these skilled musicians on the Klaxon. Chinese chauffeurs are devoted only to their art, not being concerned with the sordid details of internal management.

Incidentally, bargain lovers will be attracted by the fact that it is cheaper to become a driver in Shanghai than anywhere else in the world, a license which may last a lifetime costing only one dollar. Licenses, however, may be suspended or cancelled for a considerable array of reasons. The right of labor to collective bargaining is neatly set upon by a provision depriving a chauffeur of his license for six months for participating in a strike. He who goes joy-riding with the merry little sing-song girls must spend the next half year chauffeuring a risha or a wheelbarrow, if he is fond of vehicles, for the right to pilot an automobile will be denied him. "Furious driving" is punished by cancellation, though it seems to us that the adjective applies usually to the pedestrians.

NOT LIKE SOCIETY
There is no definite speed limit in Shanghai—speaking of automobiles and not of the social life. The ordinance against "furious driving" covers any speed that is dangerous to traffic. "An arbitrary speed limit does not take into consideration the state of traffic at the time," Chief Traffic Inspector W. R. Kinipple stated yesterday. "There are some conditions when ten miles an hour would be 'furious driving' and others in the same city when twenty miles an hour would not be excessive. Many districts in England are abolishing arbitrary limits and are substituting our system."

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WINDING MEN STAY
The most calamitous effects, anticipated from the strike, are likely to be averted, owing to the action of the winding men, many of whom are in Scotland deciding to continue working "in honorable fulfillment of the previous agreement with the owners," while the South Wales Association has overwhelmingly resolved, in the interest of industry and of the community generally, that its members shall remain at the engines.

The Government has notified the owners that it is unable to guarantee sufficient naval ratings to keep the mines dry, and that the owners must be prepared to work the pumps with the available staffs. It is understood, however, that the Government will render all possible assistance.

It is declared that the whole Triple Alliance (Miners, Railwaymen and Transport-Workers) will espouse the miners' cause. It is pointed out that this does not necessarily mean that the railwaymen and transport-workers will come out on strike, but they may decide not to transport coal—a step which, in two or three weeks, would cause a stoppage of all industry.

Delegate conferences of the railwaymen and transport-workers have been convened to discuss the executives regarded the situation as very grave because the miners' deadlock was the prelude to a general attempt to destroy national negotiations and to reduce wages.

It is officially announced that all export of coal, coke and patent fuel has been prohibited except under permit.

PROCLAMATION ISSUED
Under the Emergency Powers Act, passed in October 1920, a proclamation has been issued concerning the threat of a cessation of work in the mines, and declaring that a state of emergency exists. By this proclamation the Government is enabled

to deal with any action, taken or threatened, which is calculated, by interfering with the supply of distribution of food, water, fuel, light or means of locomotion, to deprive the community of the essentials of life.

It is noteworthy that, whereas the miners in former dispute left the Triple Alliance free to decide their own course of action, they are now pressing for active assistance. The outcome of these conferences is by no means hopeful, in view of recent speeches by leaders of the Triple Alliance, in which they expressed sympathy with the miners' position, expressing the opinion that the conditions which the mine-owners are seeking to establish in the mines are the prelude to a general attempt to reduce wages.

CRANE TO ATTEND DEDICATION TO NEW "Y" BUILDING

U.S. Minister And Other Officials To Be At Ceremony April 12

The dedication of the National Headquarters Building of the Young Men's Christian Association at 20 Museum Road will take place on April 12. The committee on dedication announced yesterday that Charles R. Crane, United States Minister to China; Chengting T. Wang, lately delegate to the Peace Conference; Dr. F. H. Chang, President of Nankai University; T. S. C. F. Hsu, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, Shanghai, and other friends who were asked to take part in the dedication service have all kindly accepted the invitation.

The corner stone of this national building which has just been completed was laid on June 4, 1919. The history of the building, however, dates back much earlier. In 1910 Mr. F. S. Brockman, then general secretary of the National Committee, called the attention of the International Committee of North America to the need of a national headquarters building for the Association movement in China.

In October of the same year Mr. William H. Taft, then President of the United States, invited a number of friends of the Association to a conference. There Dr. John R. Mott, general secretary of the International Committee of North America, presented the needs of the Association in both Asia and South America.

In response to his request Miss Helen Miller Gould, now Mrs. F. J. Shepard, subscribed \$250,000 towards the national headquarters building for China. At about the same time Mr. Charles M. Stimson of Los Angeles gave \$240,000 to purchase the land for the erection of the building. After this, Chinese friends of the Association such as ex-President Li Yuan-hung, Dr. Wu Ting-fang, Mr. Tang Shao-yi and many others also came forward to assist and contributed large sums of money amounting to about \$240,000. Later on the International Committee of North America also made a gift of \$250,000 towards the fund.

The national movement, which will be directed from this national building, was incorporated by the Ministry of Interior in Peking in the First Year of the Republic as a Chinese institution with a board of directors, known as the National Executive Committee, composed of Chinese citizens. The movement had its humble beginning only 26 years ago. Today it has 31 city Associations and 184 student Associations, scattered all over the country. The business to be handled at the headquarters has grown so rapidly that a large building is required to accommodate it.

This building was completed and taken over from the contractor last January. It has six floors, well equipped with mechanical devices, elevator, automatic inter-communicating telephone system, etc. The National Committee occupies the second, third and half of the fourth floors. The ground floor is rented to the Chung Mei Trading Corporation, the Hua Feng Cotton Mill, and the Hip Hing Land Investment Company, while the floors from the fourth upward are occupied by the National Bible Society of Scotland, the Presbyterian Mission Press, the Agency of MacDonald & Co., Montgomery Ward & Co., the Associated Mission Treasurers, and the Construction Department of the Methodist Episcopal Mission (South).

NEW BANK PLANNED
(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, April 1.—The Wine and Tobacco Bureau is establishing a bank with a capital of ten millions, of which half will be subscribed by the Government and half by the public.

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A Chinese policeman on point duty in Seward Road was reflecting idly on the monotony of constabulary endeavor when a couple of dozen people dashed up and told him that there was a riot going on over in Zau Dau-sen's sock foundry. Going over there the officer found the riot subsided and Lieou Ching-yen nursing a large aquamarine rising on his forehead.

In recounting his experiences to the Magistrate Lieou stated that he had gone into Zau's shop to buy a pair of socks. Being a careful buyer he wanted to try the foot-wear on. To this, however, Zau registered objection and when Lieou made his purchase contingent upon the privilege and started to worm himself into a sock the shopkeeper emphasised his refusal by picking up an iron used for pressing out the newly knitted hosiery and batting him clean across the room.

Zau deposed that he had previously believed himself fairly well acquainted with the propensities of Liars, but that since meeting Lieou he realised that his knowledge was elementary. The facts of the matter, he declared, were entirely different. So far as the trying on of the sock was concerned, that could stand. He readily admitted having declined according Lieou this courtesy and stoutly maintained that he had acted properly and along lines of justice to his regular customers in so doing. He was much pained at the spirit in which Lieou had received the refusal, Lieou having punched him in the eye. After this Lieou seemed to become really enraged and in his frenzy picked up the iron and slammed himself on the brow without seeking himself for a whole succession of goals.

Still, there was no evidence of damage to Zau's eye and there was the evidence of onlookers who had seen Lieou being ironed out and the equitable way of concluding the affair appeared to be the instructing of Zau to hand the clerk \$3 as he passed out.

ANOTHER MISAPPREHENSION
Seeing Lo Yui coming at a gallop along the Chaoufoong Road with three planks of wood on his shoulder and Li Yung-ming bounding vociferously at his heels, a Chinese Police Constable held up the procession. Li panted out that Lo had stolen the lumber from a boat at the Chaoufoong Road Jetty.

"I wasn't stealing the planks," Lo told the Court next morning. "I was only borrowing them." They settled Lo's case on a basis of one week per plank.

Belinda Arrives
Booking opens today for the A.D.C.'s new production "Belinda." This is the play that brought Mr. A. A. Milne before the British Public. Miss Irene Vanbrugh portrayed the name part with enormous success. Mrs. Worcester is to play it for us. Belinda is to be preceded by another of Mr. A. A. Milne's plays entitled "The Boy Comes Home." It was one of the hit-bits in the revue "Hallo, America."

FRITZ LICKED AGAIN
(Reuter's Service)
Berlin, March 31.—In a boxing contest here tonight, Tom Cowler, the British heavyweight, knocked out Breitenstrater, the German heavyweight champion, in the second round.

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AMERICAN CLUB GIVES ENJOYABLE SMOKING CONCERT

Big Crowd Hears Excellent Program By Local Amateurs

With cornets, brians, cheroots etcetera furnishing an appropriate haze, some hundreds of members of the American Club and their friends foregathered last night for a smoker and concert which left everybody with a mellow feeling of content. A large platter full of congratulations are due the House Committee for the program provided.

Starting off with a series of snappy numbers by the "Whang-poo Band"—composed of Messrs. Cope, Bossert, Glenby, Jensen, Silas and Hanna—the whole roster of items ran off at an exhilarating gallop. Mr. Glenby provided some syncopated favorites, accompanying himself with the banjo-uke, and plotted the crowd through some gang "sings"; Mr. James contributed several delightful solos and Mr. Morrison did "Rolling Down to Rio" in a very delectable style; the Brothers Silas and Mr. Schoolman engaged in a three-cornered piano duel—fitting from instrument to instrument—there were two pianos—with a violin interpolation ever and anon, for one of the feature numbers of the evening. And then the Bros. Silas struck home with a couple of character duets which brought down the house again. By a landslide vote the famous Silas rendition of the cherry tree incident was injected into the proceedings and they wouldn't let this popular entertainer get away without Orientalising the "Charge of the Light Brigade."

Mr. F. B. Nightingale did some altogether impossible things with a collection of billiard balls and produced half-drolls from anywhere with an agonising nonchalance, besides making a pack of cards drill themselves after a fashion to agitate the spine of the most hardened poker fancier. Mr. J. S. Dolan acted as master of ceremonies, and, intimidated, the place was packed.

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The foreigner in his coming and going along the shopping streets of Shanghai may readily judge from the number of photographic shop displays that the Chinese have already acquired a liking for being photographed. What would probably surprise him not a little would be the large number of Chinese who have taken up amateur photography as a hobby. Their numbers are growing daily.

It is with a view to developing this business of supplying photographic goods that Kodak, Limited, of London, has lately opened up in Shanghai, a distributing center for China. Mr. C. E. Barham, the manager for China, for some years occupied a similar position as the head of the Kodak business in South Africa and he has a thorough knowledge of everything pertaining to photography, whether regarded as an art, a science or a business. Premises have been opened at No. 64 Kiangse Road, with stock rooms and showrooms.

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FRITZ LICKED AGAIN
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Berlin, March 31.—In a boxing contest here tonight, Tom Cowler, the British heavyweight, knocked out Breitenstrater, the German heavyweight champion, in the second round.

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Six Months For Youth Caught With Photos For Forging Of Notes

Morris Reuter, 21 year old Russian compositor, who was charged with assaulting a fellow countryman and with being in possession of materials for the forging of bank notes, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, to be followed by deportation, when the case came up before Assessor Pihoff and Magistrate Loh in the Mixed Court yesterday.

Reuter was arrested last week on the complaint of one Sam Sudakoff, who had previously turned over to the police certain photographic negatives of Japanese bank notes which had been given him by the accused. Reuter had met Sudakoff on Range Road and after demanding the return of the negatives had assaulted him, using a pair of "knuckle dusters."

After the arrest the police searched the prisoner's room at 36 Chapoo Road where were found various denominations of various hidden in the slit cover of a book. The accused declared that he obtained the negatives from another Russian who has since left Shanghai. A warrant was ordered to issue for this man. D. I. Cruickshank pressed for a summary sentence in the case.

TUAN TO LEAVE PEKING

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, April 1.—As a result of the protest from the Diplomatic Corps, the Chinese Government is arranging for the departure of ex-Prince Tuan from Peking before the end of this month.

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NO JOURNALISTS HERE TO ATTEND JAP CONVENTION
Local Newspapermen Question Status Of Far Eastern Conference In Tokio

A Moji, Japan, telegram yesterday states that 17 Chinese newspapermen arrived there yesterday morning on their way to Tokio to attend the Far Eastern Journalists' Conference. The mayor of the city and the chairman of the Moji Chamber of Commerce were hosts at a luncheon given in their honor.

It will be interesting to know that Shanghai Chinese newspapermen are not represented officially at the conference, because the status of the conference is being disputed. This is the second gathering of its kind and both had been held in Japan.

Newspapermen in Shanghai say that the conference cannot be Far Eastern unless countries like China, Siam, Korea and India are given a chance to have the seat of the conference. At the conference held in Japan last time, Japanese newspapermen dominated the entire proceedings and it is likely that they will repeat their efforts at the present.

Several agents from Japan have been in China to recruit upcountry journalists to attend the conference, but they have succeeded in attracting the attention of only those in the interior. The expenses of all the Chinese journalists making the trip are paid by Japan.

Amateurs Barnstorm In Aid Of Hospital

Local Entertainers Leaving Today To Give Program In Chinkiang

A party of well known Shanghai amateurs are leaving here by special car today for Chinkiang where they will give a concert this evening in aid of the London Hospital.

The program, which is admirably selected and varied, will include numbers by the Brothers Silas, Mr. G. J. Morley Peel, Mr. J. H. Kortright, Mr. G. M. James, Mr. E. P. Graham-Barrow and Mr. Reginald Kay. One of the features will be a one-act comedy called "The Touch of Truth" in which Mr. Graham-Barrow and Mr. Morley Peel will appear.

MARCONI GETS CONTRACT

(Reuter's Service)
London, April 1.—The Marconi Company is shortly to operate the whole of the Peruvian postal telegraphic wireless services for twenty-five years, for the consideration of five percent of the gross receipts and fifty percent of the annual profits. Sir William Shingo, former Engineer-in-Chief of the General Post Office, has been appointed chief of the service.

Dr. Sun's Party In South Faces Crisis
(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, April 1.—General Chen Chiung-ming is obtaining the opinion of General Lu Tung-tung regarding the question of abdication. It is hinted that the Kuo Ming Tang's influence in Canton must be destroyed owing to its failure to obtain the support of the foreign powers, notably in connection with the Customs surplus.

General Chen Chiung-ming advocates co-operation with the self-governing provinces and loyalty to the Central Government. General Lu has suggested that Canton should follow Kwangsi's example. Whichever plan General Chen adopts will spell doom for Dr. Sun Yat-sen's party, whom General Chen is at present hesitating to drive out, owing to General Hsu Chung-chih's loyalty to Dr. Sun.

General Chen is at present endeavoring to win over General Hsu, who commands two divisions. General Hsu, who is a native of Fengtien, is thought likely to throw in his lot with the stronger party.

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PRIZE WINNER IN FAMINE LOTTERY DONATES BRONZE

"The Fallen Charioteer" To Be Sold For Benefit Of Fund

The winner of the second prize in the statutory raffle, "The Fallen Charioteer," has very kindly given it back to the Committee to be resold for the benefit of the funds. The Committee has decided to auction this piece, and Messrs. L. Moore and Co. have most kindly undertaken to sell it on Saturday April 2, at noon at their auction rooms. It is a very fine bronze, and it is hoped may fetch a good figure.

Owing to the coming hot weather, the making of padded garments is unnecessary, therefore, the working parties have finished, and we give below a list of the number of garments made by the different centers, and the number of garments made by contract. All the working parties have done splendid work, and the Society wishes to express to them its sincere thanks for their support. Especially it would like to thank the girls of the Chefoo School, who helped both in taking home needlework to do, and in packing garments. Mrs. Burton Sayer worked hard in overseeing Chinese tailors who were doing contract work, and saw to the cutting out of garments. The original idea of starting a Relief Society was due to Mrs. Burton Sayer's initiative, and the first Meeting took place in her house on November 23, 1920. Mrs. Burton Sayer's departure for home was a great loss to the Committee.

SEND 21,922 GARMENTS

Mrs. J. Douglas and her helpers who undertook and carried out so well the heavy task of packing garments also deserves a special word of thanks. At the time when the big contracts were coming in Mrs. Douglas and her staff were often at Messrs. Maitland and Co.'s auction room all day long, and often two days running, so as to be able to clear off all the garments and get them sent away as quickly as possible. The arduous nature of the work will be realised by the fact that the Society has sent away no fewer than 21,922 garments. That the packing has gone on without a hitch shows the

efficiency of the work carried out by the Packing Committee.

Total number of garments made by the Working Parties:

Mrs. Ivy and Mrs. Gauntlett.—Coats 412, Trousers 349, Quilts 253, Bonnets 152, Socks 22, Caps 7, Total 1,200.
Mrs. Cranston.—Padded coats and quilts 1009; 1,000 padded coats were made by tailors who were paid for their work by the members of Mrs. Cranston's working party and friends Total 2,009.
Mrs. Mauchan.—Padded coats 174, Trousers 163, Quilts 99, cotton jackets 57, Mittens 2 prs. Total 495.
Mrs. Shadgett.—Children's garments 200, Total 200.
Mrs. Raven.—Padded garments 420, Total 420.
Mrs. Dunbar.—Padded garments 162, Total 162.

MANY GIFTS FROM OUTPORTS

In addition to these, generous gifts of clothing have been received from time to time from Mrs. Ancehl, Yangchow; Miss Hammond, Wush; The Door of Hope; Ladies of the Chinese Presbyterian Church St. John's College, Jessfield; The American College Women's Club; Chinese Christians, Soochow. Garments made by contractors 6,200.
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(Staff Wire To THE CHINA PRESS) Peking, April 1.—Colonel W. S. Drysdale, United States Military Attaché at Peking who has just returned to the Capital from

Shensi, reports the famine in Shensi is not serious although the crops of last year were below average and considerable suffering in some districts were experienced.

The Military Governor of that province is adopting means of compelling the officials under him to relieve the sufferers and is personally supervising the daily relief work. Three to four thousand needy victims are now waiting in Stanfu for relief measures and the tuchun is carrying out the measures on the basis of women and children first.

The crop outlook in Shensi is splendid. Plague and typhus are no longer prevalent and the province is generally prosperous.

Taxi-Cab Service Opened By Brown Garage Company

A new hire car service, to be known as Brown's Garage, owned and operated by the B. F. Brown and Company, Inc., at S. 95-96 Fearon Road, is opening here thus adding additional facilities to Shanghai's already excellent taxi service.

The new service will furnish open and closed cars for public service, with popular rates, of \$3 per hour, and a minimum charge of \$1.00. Three telephone lines will be operated.

DIARIES POPULAR IN LONDON

London, Jan. 29.—Booksellers report an unprecedented rush on the part of Londoners to buy diaries. Almost all the stocks of 1921 diaries already are exhausted, and fresh demands are constantly coming in. One favorite form is a large, ornately bound book, with a lock and key, that has pages to cover five years of introspective meditation and the burning thoughts that one must sometimes confide to white paper.

It is said that the enthusiasm for self-confession has come as a result of the many published diaries brought before the public in the last year, including Margot Asquith's writings and Count de Witte's Memoirs.

Quake Severest In China's History

(Staff Wire To THE CHINA PRESS) Peking, April 1.—The recent earthquake in Kansu is the severest in China's history, according to the reports of American investigators who have just returned from the affected district. The Central area of the quake covered 15,000 square miles, from Chingchow westward to Hweiling and from Haicheng southward to Tsingchow with all the districts within a radius of 300 miles somewhat affected.

Four good-sized cities were completely destroyed with a great loss of life, including Haicheng, the so-called buried city, where 70,000 perished.

The official Chinese estimate, which foreign observers consider conservative, indicate that 200,000, or one third of the entire population of the main earthquake area, have perished.

The cave-dweller towns suffered most in the disaster, because the earthquake caught the inhabitants asleep. The majority of the victims were buried underground, while live stock and food were also destroyed.

Food and clothing are immediately required to keep the survivors alive since the food reserves have been buried under the ruins. The high altitude to which the victims are now exposed causes intense suffering cold.

Exhibition Flights At Peking Today

To stimulate aviation interest in the big commercial centers, the Aeronautical Department is organizing exhibition and passenger flights in various parts of the country. The first flight of its kind will take place today at 2 o'clock at Nanyuan, Peking.

The flights will be round Peking of 30 minutes duration. The fare will be 20 dollars in cabin and \$30 in cockpit. Two flights of this kind are scheduled daily at 2 and 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. There will also be one shorter flight at 3 p.m. on these days. The charge will be \$10 in cabin and \$15 in cockpit for each flight of 10 minutes.

The ten seater Vimy Commercials, which are to be used for the Peking-Shanghai Air Service, will be used. No special clothing is required.

It is expected that regular passenger and exhibition flights will be staged in Shanghai in July when the Shanghai-Peking Air Service is inaugurated.

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First Of New Shipping Board "535's" Due Here April 10

The new United States Shipping Board boat, the Golden State, of the Pacific Mail service, which is due to reach Shanghai on April 10, was given a welcome when it steamed into San Francisco on March 7, that recalled to the older shipping men of the Golden Gate the arrival at that port, in 1875, of the first big steel liner, the City of Tokio, which later was put on the San Francisco-China run.

The Golden State was met at the Gate by an honor convoy, of State and City officials, by destroyers and sub-chasers, and a delegation-guest-list of 500 members of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce. Every woman passenger of the Golden State's first voyage, was presented with a corsage of California violets and poppies, and another rain of flowers was dropped on the vessel's decks from airplanes circling above.

The reception committee was headed by Mayor Rolph, and included Mayor John L. Davis of Oakland; General George Barnett of the U.S. Marine Corps, and other officials of the army, the navy, the state and the city.

The Golden State, due here April 10, sails for Manila and Peking, the next day, and returns on its homeward trip on April 27. The vessel is the first of the new "535's" to reach the Orient, and is only one of four allotted to the Pacific Mail S.S. Co.

AMERICAN LEGION FIGHTS NEW MOVE OF PROPAGANDIST

A nation wide revival of German propaganda activities in the United States, developing under a carefully directed campaign which has for its primary object the disruption of the accord between America and the Allies—particularly England and France—is quoted as a probability from various official sources in the States.

In consequence the national organizations, particularly the American Legion, are formulating combative plans which are expected to frustrate the movement. It is stated that the scheme involves the creation of a powerful political machine involved from the disloyal and disaffected elements of the country, working insidiously to put the representatives of this organized minority into power. One of the first manifestations looked for was a series of mass meetings throughout the country in most of the larger cities where the propaganda was planned to be first put into activity.

National headquarters of the American Legion received information regarding the movement and has advised the departmental officials throughout the country to be on the lookout and to note and report on any activities which may develop. Substantiation to the rumor of the campaign is seen in several mass meetings which have already been held.

Elman Concert

A farewell concert will be given at the Town Hall tonight, by Mischa Elman the violin virtuoso, beginning at 9:15 o'clock.

NEW BANK AUTHORIZED

(China Press Correspondence) Peking, March 28.—It is announced on reliable authority that the Government has sanctioned the establishment of a Mongolian-Tibetan bank on the part of the Bureau for Mongolian and Tibetan Affairs, and as soon as the governing regulations have been fixed therefor, subscriptions for the capital of \$15,000,000 will begin.

ITALIAN CHAMBER OFFICERS

At the annual general meeting of the Italian Chamber of Commerce, held on Friday, the committee for 1921 was elected, as follows: Chairman, Mr. G. Giacchino, manager of the Sino-Italian Bank; Vice Chairman, Mr. G. Dell'Oro, manager of Messrs. Dell'Oro and Company; and members: Messrs. G. A. Bena, manager of the Societa Asiatice Commerciale e Industriale; Chev. V. Chieri, secretary of the Chinese Postal Supply department; Chev. E. Denegri, manager of Messrs. Dyce and Co. A. P. Ferrarini, of Messrs. Bianchi, and P. de Grisogono, representing Lloyd Triestino.

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All We'll Say Is That Mr. Harding Has Chosen Wisely

By Bud Fisher



News Brevities

When the last Empress of Japan, ex-Shanghai and America, arrived in Hongkong a week ago, a Chinese passenger was found by customs examiners to have hidden away in the hollow centers of a bamboo pole, three knocked-down revolvers, and 500 percussion caps, which he said he had brought from the gunsmith's shop in America where he had been employed, because of the "unsettled state of affairs in China"—he thought they might be useful. A fine of \$500 was imposed and the contraband confiscated.

The masquerade dance given by the Girls' Friendly Society will take place tonight at the Masonic Hall.

Members of the Nantao Christian Institute will have an excursion to the Hing Wah Paste Factory this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. S. K. Tsao, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A., will address the South Gate Church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Rev. E. C. Lobenstein will preside. Students of the Mary Farnham High School will sing.

Mr. H. C. Mel will address the Church Women's Club Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Good Roads Movement of China will be held on Tuesday, April 5, at 12:15 p.m. at the Carlton Cafe.

Two Chinese convicted of operating an opium den at 329 Market Street were assessed fines of \$15 and \$20 by the Mixed Court yesterday, while three patrons were fined \$3 each.

The secretary of a Chinese club at 12 Park Road was fined \$20 yesterday in the Mixed Court for allowing the place to remain open after hours and for permitting non-members to frequent it.

For members and friends the Y.M.C.A. will show this evening at 8 o'clock the picture of "The Wrong Woman" in six parts.

Mrs. C. T. Owens will speak on her wartime experiences before a meeting of the Women's Overseas League, to be held at the Navy Y.M.C.A. on April sixth at 5:15 p.m. An important business session will follow the program. The League is composed of American women who

served as war workers in Europe, Siberia or the Near East.

The Quest Society will meet on Monday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in the Royal Asiatic Society. Dr. Herbert Chatley will speak on "Telegraphy." The chair will be occupied by Mr. Allen G. Locher.

The Rev. Frank Rawlinson, editor of the Chinese Recorder, will address the Sunday Service League at Martyrs' Memorial Hall, Sunday, at 5 p.m. at No. 120 Szechuen Road. A "Real Sermon" is promised, on the advance notice. Special music will be provided the feature of which will be a piano solo by Miss N. M. Pan, of the McTear High School.

A motion, which had been brought from the British provincial court at Hankow, was presented by Mr. K. E. Newman in the British Supreme Court yesterday, on behalf of the estate of A. R. Burtenshaw, deceased, in which the Court was asked to set the date upon which claims by creditors against the estate fell due, so that the rate of exchange might be fixed for settlement.

Many of the debts of the deceased, it was explained, were in Sterling, whereas the funds of the estate were in Hankow currency. At the time the receiving order was made exchange stood at 7/9 and 8, while it was now at 3/1. Mr. Newman maintained that the former rate should be taken. A decision will be given by Judge Skinner Turner later in writing.

Winfield W. Woodbury, the American school-teacher, who was arrested March 23, and is now held, under bail, charged with the crime of carrying a concealed, dangerous weapon, was arraigned before Judge C. S. Lobingier in

the United States Court for China yesterday. His attorney Mr. L. W. Hartigan moved that the charge be reduced to a misdemeanor, instead of the present one of felony, urging that Woodbury had no evil intent in carrying the .45 calibre revolver, at the time of his arrest. Objection on the part of Special United District Attorney H. D. Rodgers, however, prevailed, and a hearing for early next week was ordered.

The death certificate was produced and a farewell message written in Esperanto, which was to be sent to the Oriental Review. This message contained a denial that the writer's act was the result of long brooding but stated that he "died with a smile on his lips." It also contained a message of encouragement to Esperanto pupils of Steppan's.

CHAMBERLAIN RE-ELECTED (Reuter's Service) London, March 31.—Mr. Austen Chamberlain has been re-elected unopposed for West Birmingham.

Conclude Inquest Over Russian Suicide A verdict of death from bullet wounds self-inflicted was returned yesterday when the inquest arising from the suicide of A. N. Steppan, young Russian journalist who shot himself a week ago, was resumed before Assessor Ivanoff and Magistrate Li in the Mixed Court.

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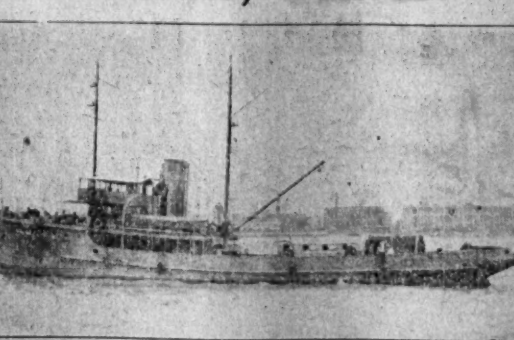
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FARMER'S BULLETIN

The first of what is to be a series of Farmer's bulletins has just been published by the College of Agriculture and Forestry of the University of Nanking. The pamphlet is written in simple language ("bel hwa") by Mr. Shao Teh-hsing a senior student in the College of Agriculture and Forestry. Mr. Shao is particularly qualified for writing such a bulletin, first because of his farm experience as a boy, and second, because of his practical experience in agricultural work at the Chuchou Government Ranch and at

the Presbyterian Mission Station at Nanchauan, An.

The subject dealt with in this first bulletin is "Deeper Plowing." Some of the advantages of deeper plowing which are mentioned are increased waterholding capacity of the soil, the increased feeding area for the roots of plants, the increased root growth due to a larger area of loose soil and similar benefits, all as a result of deeper plowing.

The front page has a symbol of Chinese Agriculture, i.e., the plow and rice heads.

On the back page there is a simple statement about Christianity, and the recipient of the bulletin is urged to go to the near-

est evangelist or pastor to learn more about the Gospel.

The College has printed a large number of these pamphlets and many Mission Stations are expected to find use for them in their work among the country people. They will be furnished at the cost price of \$6 per thousand, postage prepaid, to those who desire them.

PRINCE KNIGHTED (Reuter's Service)

London, March 31.—On the occasion of his attaining his majority, Prince Henry has been created a Knight of the Garter.



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China Press Sports



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R. Dawson Of Kinsha Takes Medal In March Revolver Competition

R. F. BLOCK HITS 189

Club Members Championship Tourney For Year Is On This Month

The Shanghai Revolver Club March revolver competition for the Experts medal and bar closed Thursday. The Experts bar was won by F. C. Rawlins. Experts special class with fine score of 171. The Experts medal was won by R. Dawson, H.M.S. Kinsha who used the British Service .45 Cal. revolver. In the preliminary competition an excellent score of 189 was made by R. F. Block using the Coits .38 Cal. Police Positive special 4 1/2 inch barrel revolver.

Conditions of competition were five shots at 15 yards, left hand; five shots at 20 yards, either hand; and 10 shots at 25 yards either hand. Time limit for loading and firing 20 shots five minutes. Experts special class to fire five shots right hand and five shots left hand at 25 yards instead of 10 shots, either hand. Targets with two-inch inner and four-inch outer bullseye were used. During April the Club Members annual championship competition will be held.

Experts Special Class	Score	Time
F. C. Rawlins	171	4 20"
Chas. C. F. Fisher	169	2 40"
Bar.		
Experts Class		
Chas. G. B. Hartford	165	4 00"
R. N.	165	4 00"
R. N.	162	4 20"
Marksmen's Class		
R. Dawson	167	4 00"
T. Pickles	165	4 30"
A. Faritt	159	4 00"
A. Skoberg	152	4 00"
J. Ivers	150	4 00"
B. S. Jenkins	143	4 00"
H. P. S.	200	
Medal		
Preliminary Competition		
10 shots at 15 yards 10 shots at 20 yards either hand. No time limit 150 points for Marksmen.		
R. F. Block	189	
M. G. Brawley	168	
A. J. Crocker	153	
Marksmen's class in future competitions.		

Rogers Hornsby To Play Third Base For Cardinals

St. Louis, March 3.—Rogers Hornsby, National League batting champion, will be used at third base by the St. Louis Cardinals when the series with the Philadelphia Americans starts in Houston, according to a dispatch from Orange, Tex., where the Cardinals are training.

Hornsby will fill the gap occasioned by the non-appearance of Milton Stock, and second base will be taken care of by George Torporec, of Syracuse, N. Y., who has attracted favorable comment in his early performances.

Sport Pages Are Used In Citizenship Course

Sport pages of newspapers as text-books is an innovation in certain Knights of Columbus night schools giving citizenship courses.

"American sport," Supreme Secretary William J. McGinley stated, in announcing the innovation, "is an important part of American citizenship. Our teachers find sports a fine avenue for introducing Americanization to foreign-born students. Especially on the sport page is found the real American language as it is spoken."

Harry Hooper Is Holding Out On Sox

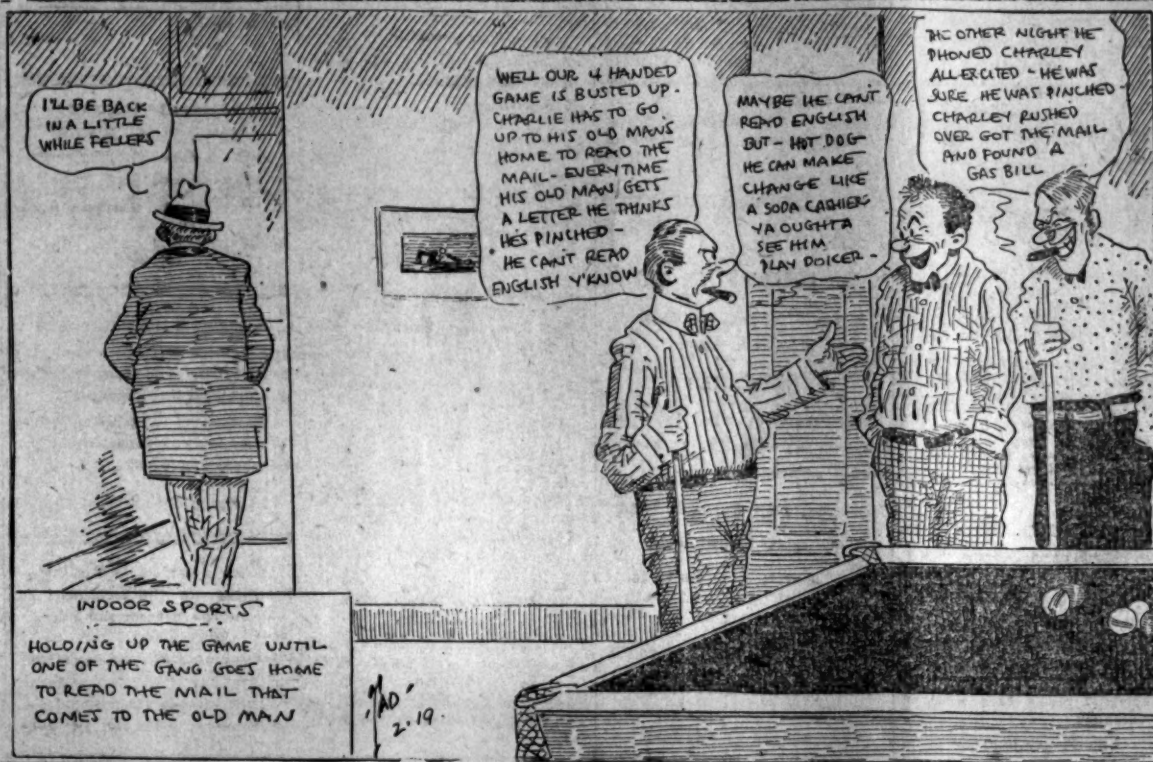
Sacramento, March 17.—Harry Hooper, outfielder of the Boston American League club, may not join the Chicago White Sox, to whom he was traded last week in exchange for John Collins and Zeibold, he told friends here during a visit from his ranch near Marysville.

Kiangwan Derby

Entries for the Derby Cup of the International Recreation Club will close at the Clubhouse on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

INDOOR SPORTS

By Tad



CHINESE TEAM IS DEFEATED BY ENGLISH FIVE

Close Game Ends 24-21; England And Canada Playing Tonight

Playing on the Y.M.C.A. floor on Thursday night, after a gruelling struggle, in which both sides indulged in rough but clean play, England defeated China in the International Basketball series by the very narrow margin of three points, the final score being 24-21. The Chinese team are an excellent combination, and the English team early found that it was only to be by sheer hard work and interruption of that combination, that they could hope for victory. Thus the work of the guards, G. Day and H. Nash, was the principal feature of the English team-work. It was dangerous to allow any opportunities for the Chinese team to shoot, in the trust that it would be a miss, for they are accurate tossers. Continually intercepting their passing, and in this feature of their play also lies their strength, the guards of the English team by sheer hard work almost were their opponents down to despondency, and the continual spoiling of their endeavours to get in a position to score must have been most disheartening to the Chinese forwards.

Meanwhile the English forwards made good use of the few opportunities they had for scoring. Johnson at center and L. Day at right forward dividing the honors fairly evenly. China hung on England's heels throughout, lagging always a point or so behind.

It was hard lines on the Chinese team, as there was not much to pick between them and their opponents and they certainly know more of the fitness of the game, and combine better.

Dr. Gray held the whistle to everybody's satisfaction.

England, having beaten Portugal, is due to play Canada on tonight and at the same hour on Tuesday, April 5, they meet America.

Basketball is admittedly not an English game, though it is being taken up in some places, but since England is trying her hand at this foreign sport it would be appreciated by the team which is representing here if they were supported on the side lines by fellow nationals.

Second Race Meeting Carded This Afternoon

Ten Races To Be Run This Afternoon With First Saddling Bell Ringing At 1:30 O'clock

A steeplechase, a hurdle race, two handicaps and six other races will feature the second afternoon meeting of the Shanghai Race Club to be held this afternoon beginning at 1:30 o'clock at the Race Course. Tiffin, teas and refreshments will be obtainable at the race course after 12:15 o'clock.

- The list of events follows:
- 1.—The Gutwick Hurdle Race.—Winner, Tis. 300; second, Tis. 150; third, Tis. 75. For all China ponies. Weight, 157 lbs. Winners of two or more hurdle races barred; of one hurdle race, 7 lbs. extra. Non-winners of a hurdle race, whether they have started in a previous hurdle race or not, allowed 5 lbs. Unplaced starters in hurdle races allowed 10 lbs. Allowances not cumulative. Jockeys who have never won a hurdle race, whether they have ridden in a previous hurdle race or not, allowed 5 lbs. Entrance, Tis. 5.—Seven furlongs.
 - 2.—The York Steeplechase.—Winner, Tis. 300; second, Tis. 150; third, Tis. 75. For all China ponies. Weight, 157 lbs. Winners of steeplechases since July 1, 1920, 2 lbs. extra for every steeplechase won since that date. Winners of the Shanghai Grand National Steeplechase, Autumn 1920, and Kiangwan Grand National Steeplechase, 1921, 5 lbs. extra in addition. Non-winners of steeplechases since July 1, 1920, whether they have started in a previous steeplechase or not, allowed 3 lbs. Unplaced starters in a steeplechase since July 1, 1920, allowed 8 lbs. Allowance not cumulative. Jockeys who have not won two steeplechases in Hongkong or China, whether they have ridden in a previous steeplechase or not, allowed 5 lbs. Entrance, Tis. 5.—Over the Loong-Pei water jump, once round and in.
 - 3.—The Newmarket Plate.—Winner, Tis. 300; second, Tis. 150; third, Tis. 75. For China ponies that have started in a flat race prior to this meeting. Winners of flat races July 1, 1920, 2 lbs. extra for every flat race won since that date. Ponies that have started in and not won a flat race since January 1, 1921, allowed 3 lbs. Griffins of 1921 that have started in and not won a flat race since January 1, 1921, allowed 5 lbs. Unplaced starters in flat races since that date. Lowest weight, not less than 140 lbs. Entrance, Tis. 5.—One mile and three furlongs.
 - 4.—The Lincoln Handicap.—Winner, Tis. 300; second, Tis. 150; third, Tis. 75. A handicap for China ponies that have never started in a flat race prior to July 1, 1920, and that have started in at least two flat races since that date. Lowest weight, not less than 140 lbs. Entrance, Tis. 5.—One mile and three furlongs.
 - 5.—The Liverpool Plate.—Winner, Tis. 300; second, Tis. 150; third, Tis. 75. For China ponies that have started in a flat race prior to this (Continued on Page 6)

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Bad weather will probably again spoil the prospects for football matches this afternoon. As it is, only two second league games are scheduled. The only first league fixture, which was to be between the Shanghai Football Club and the Shanghai Recreation Club has been again cancelled.

The second eleven of the Shanghai Football Club will meet the Shanghai Recreation Club's team on the Police Ground at 3 o'clock. The S. F. C. will be represented by R. Phillips, J. E. R. Harris, S. J. Jones, C. Fuxman, F. Shaffer, A. A. Ewing, E. A. Brodie, S. Flood, W. C. G. Clifford, E. T. Nash and L. Goldman.

Reserves: H. Harris. The Recs eleven will be G. J. Canda, J. Mahon and G. N. Manley; C. J. Smith, W. T. Manley and G. E. Marshall; G. Johansson, C. Sofoullis, R. J. S. Brandt, J. McLachlan and G. A. Dransfield.

Reserves: W. H. Ferris and F. Madar.

The other game is to be played between the Electricity Department and the Customs Club at the Widow's Monument at 2:30 o'clock. The Electricians team will consist of Patrick, Withers, Day, Evans, Harris, Brooks, Clarke, Smith, Roach, Mackenzie and Diddmead.

Reserve: Dayton and Levenspiel. A third game scheduled between the Marine Engineers and the B. A. T. has been forfeited to the former because the B. A. T. is unable to raise a team.

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The Pacific Mail steamship Venezuela, which leaves Shanghai this morning for Manila and Hongkong, on the last leg of its round trip San Francisco and return, is, according to the official schedule of the company, making its last tour of the Orient. The Venezuela, after arrival at San Francisco from this trip, on May 19, will be put into the South American service.

No confirmation of the reassignment of the Venezuela could be obtained at the local offices of the Pacific Mail yesterday—they had not been officially advised.

The steamer, which has been in the Far Eastern service since 1914, will be relieved by the new Shipping Board "535," the Golden State, which is due in Shanghai, April 10, and other vessels of the Venezuela's class, will in turn give place to others of the newer, larger ships.

The Empire State, sister ship to the Golden State, which was due to arrive in Shanghai about June 15, on its first Far Eastern trip, it was learned yesterday has been set back in its schedule until a later date.

Baden Powell Scouts

SCOUT NOTES

There will be an officers' meeting today at 5:15 p.m. Any man interested in the movement is invited to attend if he is willing to take some active part in any one of the Troops.

Agenda:

The next field day.

Shanghai Scouts manual.

The Shanghai Jamboree.

The Public School Troop are evidently enjoying their stay at Mokanshan, where they have been camping for a week, as they have not yet returned to Shanghai. We are looking forward to their report when they do return.

Both the Cathedral and French School Troops have had to do without their Scoutmaster this week. S. M. Toone had important business in the Union Church on Wednesday last—and the heartiest good wishes for the future happiness of the happy couple go with them on their honeymoon from the Scout Association and Scouts of Shanghai; while S. M. Luker left hurriedly for Tientsin a few days ago. It would be a great boon if we could get a few more volunteers to assist in such cases—half a dozen more men are wanted.

All scouts are warned that there will be a trial Mobilisation one evening next week between the hours of 5 and 7 p.m. Officers and Scouts who have volunteered should make themselves acquainted with their particular duties, as marks will be awarded for the order in which scouts report at their stations. Full uniform must be worn on the trial night by all Scouts and it is desirable in the case of Officers though not essential, for business reasons. No marks will be awarded to scouts who report in multi.

The Rotary Club Shield is now ready and will be on view shortly. The Scouts of Shanghai are very much indebted to the members of this Club and it is hoped they will show their appreciation by the keenness with which they enter for the Competition.

Scoutmasters are requested to report to the Secretary the names of three or four scouts in their Troop who are desirous of becoming members of the B. P. Bugle Band which is about to be formed for use on Route Marches and Parades. Troops must supply their own bugles which must be the Regulation pattern. Mr. A. B. Rosenfeld has offered to train the band and as soon as arrangements are complete practices will begin.

F. C. MILLINGTON,
District Scoutmaster,
B. P. Scouts.

Shanghai Branch.

FRENCH SCHOOL TROOP

Orders for week ending March 9, 1921.

French School Troop.

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Second Race Meeting Carded This Afternoon

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meeting. Winners of five furlong races or under, since July 1, 1920, 4 lbs. extra for every such win. Ponies that have started in and not won a flat race since January 1, 1921, allowed 5 lbs. Unplaced starters in any event at the 1st extra race meeting, 1921, allowed 5 lbs. Allowances cumulative. Entrance, Tls. 5. (Jockey allowance). Half-a-mile.

6.—The Goodwood Stakes.—Winner, Tls. 300; second, Tls. 150; third, Tls. 75. For China ponies that have started in a flat race since July 1, 1920, and that have not won more than three flat races since that date, to be ridden by jockeys who have not won more than four flat races since July 1, 1920. Ponies—winners of flat races since July 1, 1920, 2 lbs. extra for every such win. Ponies that have started in and not won a flat race since January 1, 1921, allowed 3 lbs. Unplaced starters in any event at the 1st extra race meeting, 1921, allowed 5 lbs. Allowances cumulative. Jockeys—winners, 2 lbs. extra for every flat race won since July 1, 1920. Non-winners of a flat race, whether they have ridden in a previous flat race or not, allowed 5 lbs. Entrance, Tls. 5.—Three-quarters of a mile.

7.—The Epsom Cup.—Winner, Tls. 300; second, Tls. 150; third, Tls. 75. For China ponies that have been through at least two paper hunts during the season 1920-1921, that have started in a flat race since January 1, 1921, and that have not won more than three flat races since July 1, 1920. Winners, 3 lbs. extra for every flat race won since July 1, 1920. Non-winners since January 1, 1921, allowed 3 lbs. Unplaced starters in any event at the 1st extra race meeting, 1921, allowed 5 lbs. Allowances cumulative. Entrance, Tls. 5. (Jockey allowance).—One mile and a half.

8.—The Doncaster Handicap.—Winner, Tls. 400; second, Tls. 200; third, Tls. 100. A handicap for China ponies that have started in at least two flat races since July 1, 1920. Lowest weight, not less than 140 lbs. Handicap weights will be published on Thursday, March 31, 1921. Entrance, Tls. 5.—One mile and a quarter.

9.—The Brighton Plate.—Winner, Tls. 300; second, Tls. 150; third, Tls. 75. For China ponies that started in a flat race either at the 1st extra race meeting, 1921, or at this meeting, and that have not won more than two flat races since January 1, 1921. Winners of flat races since January 1, 1921, 3 lbs. extra for every such win. Grifflins of 1921, allowed 3 lbs. Unplaced starters in flat races at

both the 1st extra race meeting 1921, and this meeting allowed 5 lbs. Allowances cumulative. Entrance, Tls. 5. (Jockey allowance).—One mile.

10.—The Warwick Selling Race.—Winner, Tls. 300; second, Tls. 150; third, Tls. 75. For all China ponies. Winner to be sold for Tls. 400. If entered to be sold for Tls. 300, allowed 5 lbs. For Tls. 200 allowed 10 lbs. Grifflins of 1921 and any Shanghai Race Club subscription griffin, receive a special allowance of 5 lbs. Entrance, Tls. 5. (Jockey allowance).—Three-quarters of a mile.

Prof. E. F. Nichols Is Made President Of Technology Corp'n

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Mr. Leonard Metcalf, a civil engineer of Boston, contributor of monographs and professional papers on engineering subjects, was chosen as president of the Alumni Association.

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BUSINESS AND OFFICIAL NOTICES

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NOTICE

The undersigned hereby give notice:

That a Public Meeting of Rate-payers will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1920, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Rate-payers.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

E. D. H. FRASER,

H. B. M. Consul-General.

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Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul for Spain.

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American Consul in Charge.

E. AKERHJELM,

Acting Consul-General for Sweden.

CH. FÉGUENNE,

Acting Consul-General for Belgium.

MANOEL DE VEIGA MENEZES,

Consul for Brazil.

NOTICE

The undersigned hereby give notice:

That a Special Meeting of Rate-payers will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 1.45 p.m. precisely, to consider and to pass resolutions upon the several matters, notice of which is given in Municipal Notification No. 2321, published in the Municipal Gazette of March 17, 1921.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

A. D. BELL,

A. W. BURKILL,

A. J. H. KALLIL,

E. O. CUMMING,

GILBERT DAVIES,

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S. B. NEILL,

E. W. NOEL,

E. C. PEARCE,

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A. J. WELCH,

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Shanghai Race Club

2nd Extra Race Meeting, 1921
Saturday, 2nd April.

There will be:

A HURDLE RACE (First Race)

A STEEPLECHASE

2 HANDICAPS

and

6 OTHER RACES.

The Races Commence Punctually

at 1.30 p.m.

ADMISSION

A limited number of tickets giving admission to the Grand Stand, Members' Enclosure and Members' Par-Mutuels will be issued, and may be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

Prices

Gentlemen \$5 each

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Price \$1 each.

Tiffins, Teas and Refreshments will

be obtainable at the Course after

12.15 p.m.

For the Members and Grand

Stand Ticket Holders—in the Grand

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By Order of the Stewards,

A. W. OLSEN,

Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.

36559

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Business and Official Notices

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

THE following Resolutions will be brought forward by the Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in the Town Hall on April 14, 1921, at 2 o'clock p.m. and are published for general information:

Resolution I, II and III.—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.

Resolution IV.—That the Report and Accounts for the year ending December 31, 1920, be passed.

Resolution V.—That the Council be, and it is hereby authorized and directed to take such action as it may, in its discretion, think fit, to reduce the bulk of the next and succeeding Annual Municipal Reports.

Resolution VI.—That the estimated expenditure for 1921, contained in the Budget proposed by the retiring Council, together with the recommendations attached thereto, be approved and adopted, and that the Council be and it is hereby authorized to impose, collect and recover the rates, taxes, dues and fees recommended therein, and to raise, should it be considered expedient to do so, upon such terms and in such manner as the Council may in its discretion think fit, a sum not exceeding Tls. 7,000,000 or the equivalent of this sum, for the purposes defined in the estimate of Extraordinary Expenditure.

Resolution VII.—Election of Land Commissioner for the ensuing year.

Resolution VIII.—Election of four Governors of the General Hospital for the ensuing year.

Resolution IX.—Election of two members of the Permanent Education Committee.

Ratepayers intending to ask questions in regard to the Accounts or other matters connected with the foregoing Resolutions, are requested to give notice of such intention at least 24 hours before the Meeting, so that a full answer or other explanation may be given.

Ratepayers desirous of bringing forward additional motions, or of nominating duly qualified persons willing to serve under Resolutions VII, VIII and IX, are required to give notice thereof to the undersigned before 4 p.m. on April 8, for due publication.

By Order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 2, 1921.

MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK

CARRYING interest at 7% per annum will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, Administration Building, 2nd Floor

on
Friday, April 1
and
Saturday, April 2
and from
Monday, April 4
to
Wednesday, April 6
(inclusive).

Notice of Removal

From the first of April next, our offices will be removed to No. U 1311 Peking Road (next door to our old office No. 12 Peking Road.)

REID, EVANS & COMPANY.

S. S. WEST NIVARIA

from Portland

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

AN examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Chang Kah Pang Wharf on Monday, April 4th, at 9 a.m. when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Eisler & Reeves, will be in attendance.

COLUMBIA PACIFIC SHIPPING COMPANY,

China Pacific Co., Agents,

The Loou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.

SUBDIVISION OF SHARES
Shareholders in the above Company are hereby notified that the old Scrip of Tls. 100 per share can now be exchanged for the new scrip of Tls. 10 per share in accordance with the Special Resolution as passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 7th March, 1921 and confirmed at the Extraordinary General Meeting on the 14th March, 1921.

Shareholders are requested to send in their old scrip to the undersigned.

By Order of the Board,
ILBERT & CO., LTD.
General Managers.

The International Recreation Club

SPECIAL ENTRY

THE DERBY CUP.

Will take place on the 14th May, 1921.

ENTRIES for this event close at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, 6th April, 1921, at the Club House, 126 Bubbling Well Road.

Entry Forms may be obtained upon application to the undersigned.

By Order,
Y. S. DAY,
Secretary.

The Quest Society's

next meeting is to take place this coming Monday the 4th April, at 5.30 p.m. in the Royal Asiatic Society's Hall, Museum Road, when Dr. H. Chatley will speak on "TELEPATHY".

Mr. A. G. Loehr in the chair.

The meeting is open to the Public.

NOTICE

This will serve to notify the public that Mr. Y. M. Yung is no longer connected with our firm.

Thos. W. Simmons & Co. (China), Inc.

NOTICE

CHINESE GOVERNMENT MINT COMMISSION.

I have this day handed over charge of this office to Mr. F. M. Sah, Director of Mint and Chairman of the Mint Commission.

MUN YEW CHUNG,
Director of Mint and Chairman of the Mint Commission.

NOTICE

By mutual arrangement I have this day terminated my connection with Mr. H. Herlofson.

A. M. WILKIE.
31st March, 1921.

NOTICE

I am establishing myself as a Ship, Freight and Coal Broker, commencing on Monday, 4th April, 1921.

A. M. WILKIE.
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Tel. C. 1994.

Shanghai Race Club

SPRING RACE MEETING, 1921.
2nd, 3rd, 4th & 7th May.

Entries for the Spring Race Meeting, 1921, will close at the Grand Stand at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, 6th April, 1921.

Entry-Forms are now available at the Grand Stand.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.

Shanghai Race Club.

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The Loong-foi (East) Entrance Gates will not be closed except only when ponies in a race pass that Entrance.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.

SHANGHAI RACE CLUB.

NOTICE

We have pleasure in informing the public that we are prepared to accept parcels for Express Delivery at Vladivostok. For further particulars apply to this office.

L. V. LANG,
No. 8 French Bund.

Shanghai, March 30th, 1921.

Notice of Removal

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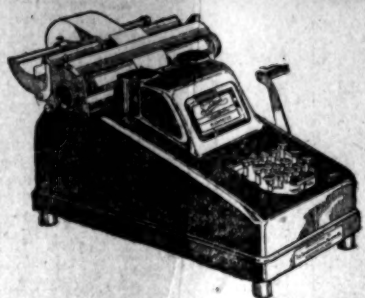
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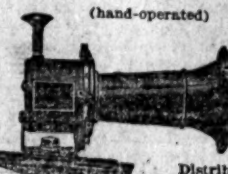


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Dated the 4th day of March, 1921.

FESSENDEN & HOLCOMB.

Attorneys.

36655

NOTICE

On and after the first of April my office address will be—

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36741 A. 3

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36682 A. 3

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TO LET, large light office ground floor, with small godown, 71 Klange Road.

36663 A. 2

SITUATIONS WANTED

THOROUGHLY experienced Chinese bookkeeper wants position in charge of set of books. Apply to Box 1188, THE CHINA PRESS.

36745 A. 3

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36728 A. 16

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36725 A. 6

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36693 A. 3

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36668 A. 2

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36620 A. 5

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36688 A. 2

WANTED, a single room, by bachelor, with a private family with or without board. No objection small boarding house. Satisfactory references furnished. Apply to Box 1178, THE CHINA PRESS.

36730 A. 3

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36678 A. 4

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36661 A. 2

MISCELLANEOUS

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36739 A. 2

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36741 A. 3

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36744 A. 5

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36719 A. 5

TO LET, one furnished room, with board. Apply 20 Haskell Road.

36731 A. 5

TO LET, immediately, small furnished flat in Ben Building, Avenue Edouard VII, two rooms, bathroom and kitchen. Furniture must be taken over. Apply to Mr. J. Barraud's Office, 71 Rue du Consulat.

36736 A. 5

WELL-FURNISHED room, with excellent board, to let at No. 103 Bubbling Well Road; Phone west 805 or call personally.

36726 A. 3

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36721 A. 2

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36723 A. 3

TO LET, large well-furnished room with bathroom and verandah attached. Excellent cuisine. Use of telephone. Terms moderate. Apply Mrs. M. Kelleg No. 22D Range Road.

36659

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36676 A. 3

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36691 A. 7

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36706

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36653 A. 5

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36660 A. 3

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36451 A. 5

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L. ARDAIN, Manager.

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WEATHER

Weather overcast and mild. Intermittent showers. South Easterly breezes on the Eastern Sea. Cyclonic winds in the North. Mist at the mouth of the Yangtze.

DEATH

STAVE: At Chefoo on March 28th, 1921, of Lobar Pneumonia. PAUL STAVE, aged 45. Deeply regretted. The cremation will take place at the Bubbling Well cemetery on Saturday, the 2nd April, at 5 p.m. All friends are invited to attend.

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The Mandates Problem

BY COLONEL E. M. HOUSE

THE Mandate question is one in which the American people should have much concern. It is not alone a new departure in international ethics, but it is one in which we have an economic interest.

In the past, backward countries generally have been controlled or exploited by some power for selfish purposes, and the good that has come from such control or exploitation has been merely incidental thereto. These backward communities have been a constant source of friction between the more civilized states—friction which oftentimes has resulted in war.

Until the Paris Conference there had been no attempt to reach a general understanding or fixed policy between the more powerful nations regarding the control of backward countries or territories. The system hitherto practiced was admittedly so bad that when the Conference came to the disposition of the late German colonies there was a general agreement that a more enlightened policy should be inaugurated. In furtherance of this desire Article XXII was incorporated in the covenant of the League of Nations, and subsequently there was a commission appointed to sit in London during the summer of 1919 for the purpose of preparing the term of the mandates. Upon this commission were Lord Milner, who had as his adviser Lord Robert Cecil; M. Simon, French Minister for Colonies; Viscount Chamberlain of Japan; Guglielmo Marconi, for Italy; and Edward M. House with the late George Louis Beer as adviser.

Following the wishes of the Allied and Associated Powers as expressed in Article XXII, we divided the mandate into three classes. Form A was to be used for "communities formerly belonging to the Turkish empire where their existence as independent states could be recognized provisionally subject to the rendering of administrative advice and assistance by the mandatory until such time as they were able to stand alone. The wishes of these communities must be a principal consideration in the selection of a mandatory."

The essential features of Mandate A, proposed as a basis for discussion, were that it provided for a cessation of the mandate as soon as practicable; the administration of the government as far as possible by the native elements; that no military naval or air forces should be raised or maintained, nor any fortifications be erected or naval bases be established further than a local gendarmerie for the preservation of internal order. The complete freedom of conscience and the free exercise of all forms of worship were assured, and no discrimination of any kind should be made between citizens on the ground of race or religion.

A provision of far-reaching importance was included which would compel the mandatory power to grant to all citizens of states members of the League of Nations the same rights as were

enjoyed in the territory by its own nationals in respect to entry into and residence in the territory; the acquisition of property and the exercise of their profession or trade.

Further, the mandatory power should not attempt to obtain special privileges for its own citizens and should undertake to insure to all citizens of states members of the League freedom of transit and occupation and complete economic, commercial and industrial equality. And again, that concessions for the development of the natural resources of the territory should be granted without discrimination between citizens of states members of the League.

The London commission never finished its labors for the reason that the Turkish treaty had not been prepared or signed; and since it was the fragments of the Turkish empire as well as German colonies which were to come under mandate, this proposal was never acted upon.

Mandate B was prepared to be used for those communities which were not so far advanced in government and civilization as those which were to come under Mandate A; but the provisions were largely the same, except that it gave greater protection to the natives, who presumably would be more ignorant than those coming under Mandate A. Particular care was given to the safeguarding of their lands; and they were to be protected against usury, against traffic in liquor, drugs and slaves. Another important provision was that, in case of disputes between the members of the League of Nations relating to the application or interpretation of the mandate which could not be settled by negotiation, the dispute must be submitted to the Permanent Court of International Justice, which was to be established.

Mandate C was framed for those countries in southwest Africa and the Pacific island "which, owing to the sparseness of their populations, or their small size, or their remoteness from the centers of civilization, or their contiguity to the mandatory, can be best administered under the laws of the mandatory as integral portions of its territory."

Here, again, even greater care was used to protect the natives than was given to those in A and B, because of their ignorance and helplessness.

Therefore, taking it altogether, the acceptance by the members of the League of Nations of this new principle in the question of control of backward countries is a long step forward. A mandatory power now accepts a trusteeship, not for the benefit of itself, but for the benefit of the natives, and, incidentally, it must permit other countries to share in the development of the state over which it exercises the mandate.

The fact that hereafter each power holding such a mandate will have a tendency to promote the best administration possible. The report which must be given each year to the Council of the League will in itself stimulate rivalry; and the power that gives the best account of its stewardship will be the one to hold the highest place in the esteem of the world.

While the Council during its November meeting at Geneva has withheld some of the terms of the different grades of mandates, yet it is reasonable to expect that the essence of what the London commission prepared will form the basis of the agreement made at Geneva.

One of the arguments used by those Americans who favor the acceptance of a mandate by the United States is that it will afford us an opportunity to set the pace in giving to some community struggling to advance an administration of law and order which will serve as a model for other mandatory powers, and which would result in adding to the sum of human progress.

Correspondence

CORRECTION

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir: We beg to inform you that we are much surprised to read the news entitled "Cigarette plays big part in China trade" in your paper today. In which our company is erroneously reported as being a Sino-Japanese concern. As a matter of fact, the founders of the company are all Chinese. Owing to the increase of the capital, the company was re-registered at the Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce in Peking on October 21, 1920 as a limited company. And in the seventh article of our registered Articles of Association, it was expressly written that the shareholders of our company are strictly confined to Chinese citizens.

Herewith we beg to hand you a copy of our registered Memorandum and Articles of Association and beg that you will kindly amend the mistake in your next issue, we remain, Dear Sir, Faithfully yours, KAN CHUNAM, President.

Shanghai, April 1, 1921.



Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown.

And yet Karl would go back, leaving his quiet little place in Switzerland, and again assume crown and cross.

Princes are like heavenly bodies, which cause good or evil times, and which have much veneration but no rest.

It looks as if the folk near and about Austria have taken the Psalmist's words very much to heart: "Put not your trust in princes."

THE UNCOOLED SEX

Woman is the stronger sex; men the cooiled sex, as every wet morning in the City proves, says a London newspaper whereupon Arthur Stanley bursts loose in London Opinion with the following:

When winter fills the City With horrid fumes and mist, I thrill with admiration For my stenographer. As hardy as the heather That decks the northern hills, She seems to keep in perfect trim By boldly courting chills.

And in the dampest weather Her dainty shoes are "Pish" While I don't dare abandon The hideous golosh: She glows with health and vigor. Her eye outshines the star. While I am permeated with Rheumatics and catarrh.

Her brow defies the snowdrift, Her throat enjoys the fog. Her back it is the barest That e'er disdained the tog. She scorns the woollen "undies" (They're all the world to me) And, if I did as Phyllis does, I'd lay me down and dee!

THE SEX QUESTION

There had been a certain amount of breeziness about the discussion, which centered around the relative virtue and accomplishment of the two sexes.

"You men" said the advanced young woman, "think a great deal of yourselves because you know there is a shortage of your kind. Personally I should not mind in the least living in a world where the men and women were separated by an ocean."

The daring bachelor smiled at her. "I dare say you are right," he agreed. "Still in the event you mention, I'm certain that there would be a large number of women drowned."—Morning Post, (London.)

THE ROSARY

One ask'd me where the roses grew? I bade him not go seek; But forthwith bade my Julia show A bud in either cheek.

PAGE THE MINERS

I like work, it fascinates me. I can sit and look at it for hours. I love to keep it by me; the idea of getting rid of it nearly breaks my heart.—J. K. Jerome.

None of the best head work in art, in literature, or in science is ever paid for.—Ruskin.

The gods sell all good things for hard work.—A Greek Proverb.

Oriental solemnity is not a characteristic of Wellington Koo, the Chinese Ambassador to London. While in Geneva at a dinner party, he listened to a paragraph read out from a paper about a Chinaman who committed suicide by eating gold-leaf. "Don't know why that should kill him," said one member of the company. "Ah, possibly he was overwhelmed by a consciousness of inward guilt," suggested Mr. Koo.

Facts About Money

The coin of the smallest value ever issued is the "mite," so-called, such as the widow of the Bible contributed to the poor. Its shape was hexagonal, and its value about one-fiftieth of a cent.

The Swiss people were the first to date their coinage. They introduced the dated coin 400 years ago.

The first actual coinage of money was by Phidon, King of Argos, in 895 B. C.

The ancient Egyptians had a gold coin and silver standard of currency, and their money was in the form of gold and silver ornaments, rings and nuggets, the value of which depended upon weight.

James Branch Cabell, 'Master Of The Pastiche'

BY RICHARD LE GALLIENNE

The Cords of Vanity. By James Branch Cabell. Robert M. McBride & Co.

Domest. Same author.

That suave and obliging English visitor to our shores, Hugh Walpole, among the many amenities which he so urbanely dispenses among his American cousins, found time gallantly to come to the rescue of an American author in distress and to the Yale Review contributed an admirable paper on "The Art of James Branch Cabell." In the course of this appreciation, which only stops short this side of idolatry, Mr. Walpole makes this admission:

"Let it be said at once that Cabell's art will always be a sign for hostilities. Not only will he remain, in all probability, forever alien to the general public, but he will also, I suspect, be to the end of time a cause for division among cultivated and experienced readers."

"To the end of time" is an exhilarating—not to say exhilarating—phrase, and provokes a picture of literary immortality, not merely static, but energetically, even combatively, vital, which should surely be acceptable to the author of "The Cords of Vanity." It is a wonderful compliment, beside which the "aere perennia" of Horace, and the "not marble or the gilded monuments" of Shakespeare, so to speak, "pale their ineffectual fires." We see the future, whatever else its portentous preoccupations, divided to its dimmest confines into two armed camps—over the merits of "Jurgen." As an admirer of Mr. Cabell—one of the earliest, I like to think; for I have been the proud possessor of "The Soul of Melicent," with colored illustrations—since 1913—I hope that Mr. Walpole is as good a prophet as novelist. "As good as kill a Man as kill a good book." A certain irrelevant Society has done its best to kill "Jurgen," but ironically, it has only succeeded in creating its author. "We should be wary, therefore, what persecution we raise against the living labors of public men." * * * So one might go on quoting Milton, with a slightly frivolous application, for the benefit of the Society in question. After all, an almost unknown writer can afford to have one book half killed when the attempted assassination puts unexpected life into a dozen others and incidentally showers down a forest of laurels on his previously obscure brows. With commendable esprit de corps, a host of American and British writers entered their protest against the irrelevant persecution of "Jurgen," though the majority of them confessed to not having read the book.

They protested rightly, as a matter of principle. Whatever the merits or demerits of "Jurgen," the book was not the kind of "literature" which concerns the said Society or comes within the scope of the United States Criminal Code—Act of March 4, 1909. How good or bad the book is, esthetically speaking, is another matter, and here we have Mr. Walpole's permission to differ and still be counted "among cultivated and experienced readers."

In "The Cords of Vanity" Mr. Cabell's egregious autobiographer, Robert Etheridge Townsend, himself a posturing, self-seeking writer, speaks thus of the reception of one of his books: "I made rather a good thing out of it financially, but the numerous letters I received from the people who had liked it I found extremely objectionable. * * * So I endured my plaudits without undue elation, for I always held 'The Apostates' to be, at best, a medley of conventional tricks and extravagant rhetoric, inanimate by any least particle of myself."

Before I apply this quotation I would like to express my wholehearted admiration for "Beyond Life," in which Mr. Cabell expounds not merely his artistic deal but gives us generally his "reading of earth," and of the nature and destiny of man; with, incidentally, some picturesquely forcible literary criticism—Marlowe, Milton, Webster, Congreve, Sheridan, Dickens, Thackeray—for which one is immensely grateful. Those who have yet to read Mr. Cabell should begin with this book. It sets forth his attitude and aims with dignity, beauty, whimsicality and irony. You cannot read it without becoming the author's friend, and it helps you the better to measure the extent to which his other books have fulfilled this testament of his high calling—and be to his faults no little kind. After reading "Beyond Life," I would suggest that the word be "Cabellism," read "From the Hidden Wax," a volume of poetry so good that one wonders why Mr. Cabell should trouble to write his "nearly perfect prose."

As an example of his verse, allow me to quote this "Story of the Flowery Kingdom," from the worst book Mr. Cabell has written—"The Cords of Vanity":

Fair Son-Chong-Tee, by a phimmering brook,

Where ghost-like lilies loomed tall and straight,

Met young Too-Hi, in a moonlit nook,

Where they cooed and kissed till the hour was late:

Then, with lanterns, a mandarin passed in state,

Named Hoo-Hung-Hoo of the Golden Band,

Who had wooed the maiden to be his mate,

For these things occur in the Flowery Land.

Now, Hoo-Hung-Hoo had written a book,

In seven volumes, to celebrate The death of the Emperor's thirteenth cook;

So, being a person whose power was great,

He ordered a herald to indicate He would blind Too-Hi with a red-hot brand

And marry Son Chong at a quarter past eight—

For these things occur in the Flowery Land.

And the brand was hot, and the lovers shook.

In their several shoes, when by lucky fate

A Dragon came, with his tail in a crook—

A Dragon out of a Nankeen Plate—

And gobbled the hard-hearted potentate

And all of his servants, and snorted and

Passed on at a super-cyclonic rate.

For these things occur in the Flowery Land.

The lovers were wed at an early date,

And lived for the future, I understand,

In one continuous tete-a-tete—

For these things occur in the Flowery Land.

It is obvious, even from such a charming trifle as this, that the man who wrote it is a poet, and, therefore, criticism of him becomes cumulatively more difficult. A poet, and a writer of "almost perfect prose." But yet * * * and here is the moment to apply that quotation from "The Cords of Vanity," evidently Mr. Cabell's self-judgment upon his own work and many of his admirers. "It is true that, when he speaks of 'The Apostates' as being 'inanimate,' by any least particle of myself," he had not written "Jurgen," though "The

Soul of Melicent" (now "Domest") already stood to his credit. Yet these books, though they cannot fail to give pleasure to those who have loved certain forms of literature which Mr. Cabell, too, has very evidently loved, do not escape from Mr. Cabell's own self-condemnation. That is, they are as little animated by any least particle of himself as—any of his writings. Only those who have not read Mr. Cabell's originals, or those who in their generosity to an American author in distress have decided to ignore or belittle them, can, for a moment, consider his writings as original. The "pastiche" in literature has its place, and Mr. Cabell is something like a master of the "pastiche"; and it goes without saying that Anatole France and Maurice Hewlett illustrate the old literary law that "conveyors are we all." Like Mr. Kipling, they have taken their good where they found it—and Mr. Hewlett, in particular, is perhaps the most remarkable example of an original writer who can masquerade in the literary wardrobe of other men, and yet be himself; be, that is, one of the most dramatic romancers and creators of beauty of our time. Mr. Anatole France, whatever his debts to Lucian, Voltaire, Heine, Dumas and the author of "Les Contes Drolatiques," remains unmistakably—Anatole France. Even Stevenson, indirectly another of Mr. Cabell's models, in spite of all his sedulous aping, remains "R. L. S." And, speaking of him, I will return a moment to that book of Mr. Cabell's which is nearest to being animate by some least particle of himself, "Beyond Life," and ask the reader to share with me this fine passage:

"That moving carcass does but very inadequately symbolize you, who as a matter of open Sabbath-day report are a subtle and immortal spirit. So far from being you, it is not really under your control. Prefiguring it as your residence, you are immured in the garret, where you have telephonic communication with the rest of the house. But a house remains quiescent; whereas this thing incredibly sprouts lawns of hair; conceals, as no chemist can do, its saliva and sweat and gastric juices, with a host of mysterious secretions, and uses them intelligently; makes and fits on a vitreous armor for the tips of its toes and its fingers; builds up and glazes and renews its sentient teeth; dispatches, to course about its arteries, innumerable rivulets of blood, with colonies of living creatures waving thereon; and of its own accord performs a hundred other monstrous activities in which you have no say. A third of the time, indeed, this

commonwealth which you affect to rule, takes holiday, willy-nilly, and you are stripped even of pretense by sleep. Meanwhile the thing restlessly destroys and rebuilds itself. There is no particle of it, in the arms and legs or anywhere, which those hands before you have not lifted and put into the mouth's humid

vortex; nor is there remaining today one atom of the body you frequented ten years ago. For incessantly it sloughs and renews and recasts itself, this apparently constant body; so that you are afforded neither a private nor a permanent residence, but wander about earth like a wind and put into the mouth's humid

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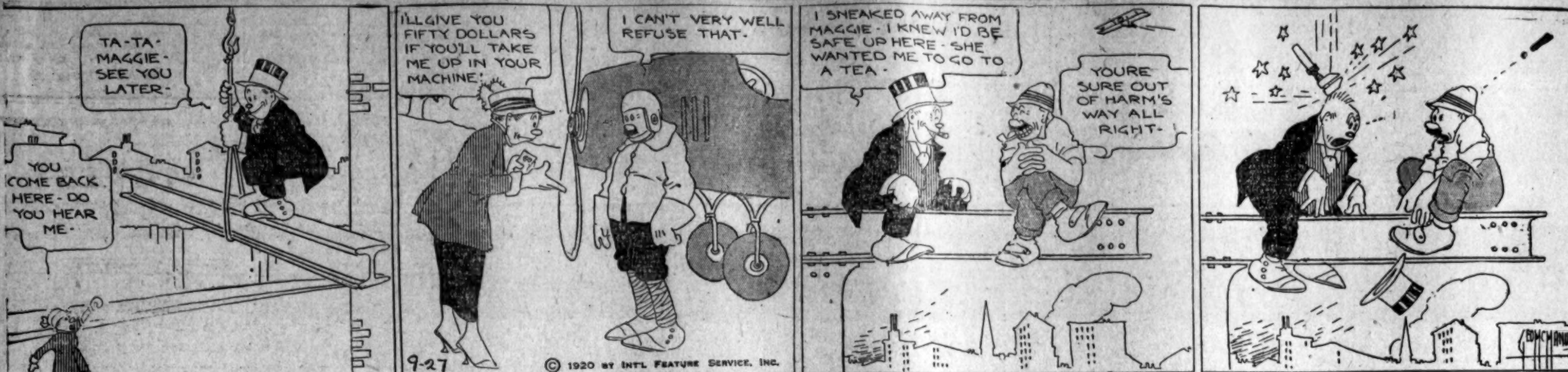
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said of "Jürgen" (of whom he is evidently an early study); for, as an "erotic cad," Jürgen has some saving graces of fancy and humor, but Robert Etheridge Townsend has none. His treatment of and deliverances on woman surpass in caddishness anything I remember reading in a novel. Read Page 103, which I have no space to quote, and the whole episode of Elena Barry-Smith, the lady's vigorous winding-up of which is one of the few satisfactory passages in the book.

"Get out of my house!" she cried. "or I will have you horsewhipped. I was fond of you. You would not let me be in peace. And I didn't know you until tonight for the sneering, stuck-up, dirty beast you are at heart. . . . And you have no hold on me, no letters to blackmail me with, and nobody anywhere would take your word for anything against mine. You would only be whipped by some real man, and probably shot. So do you remember to keep a watch upon that lying, sneering mouth of yours! And do you get out of my house!"

"It is only rented," was the hero's comment on this tirade. Exquisite "repartee," isn't it? Is this the peculiar "Cabellian" quality to which Mr. Cabell's admirers are always darkly referring?

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shriek over a roadway, in a vortex of ever-changing dust.

When the reader has enjoyed this I would ask him to refresh his memory of "Aes Triplex." This is, of course, to question of anything so vulgar as plagiarism. Of course not. But I think there is no doubt that Mr. Cabell would not have expressed himself just this way if he had not shared the general advantage of reading Stevenson. Also, I venture to suggest that the whole argument of "Beyond Life," which practically amounts to an elaboration of the half-truth that humanity progresses by pretending itself greater and finer and more important than it really is, is little more than a vigorous excursion in Oscar Wilde's thesis on "The Decay of Lying."

Now "Domnei," which Joseph Hergeshelmer does well to introduce with generous and beautifully written praise, is a lovely little "pastiche" in the manner of Maurice Hewlett, and that Mr. Cabell may be as well read in Mr. Hewlett's own Provencal authorities, and adroit in all the archaic tricks of the trade, is quite beside the mark. Mr. Hewlett in our time did this thing first. He has done it over and over again, and done it with a robust, dramatic, humorous vitality. His figures live "with life's own colors on them," and whatever their antique vestments and "antique" ways, they are men and women—particularly those two dangerous girls—that we cannot forget. If Mr. Hewlett's work is a tapestry, it is a tapestry that has suddenly come alive—so alive

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even many an old exquisite grande dame, have been far from refusing to join in such thoroughly human laughter. It is only the vulgar that are always "refined." A certain absurd coarseness belongs to the sacred and magical processes of life, and the loveliness of the rose, for example, seems none the worse for them. But the intrusion of merely unclean thoughts into the realm of beauty—as in a certain scene with a dried (one of the fairest creations of Greek "fancy")—in "Jürgen," the laborious manufacture of the double entendre, is not so much an offense against "morals" as taste, and is offensive mainly because it is tiresome. Mr. Cabell has attempted rebuttal against the criticism of his book by a cumbersome apology of a tumblebug, endeavoring to make out that it is his critics who are unclean-minded and not he. But it is of no use. "Honi soit qui mal pense!" does not hold in his case. The passages objected to in his book—so veiled, it is true, as to be innocuous for the general reader, because such procreancy as Mr. Cabell's is in the "man in the street" whose indifference to such writing is sufficient protection—mean one thing or nothing, and the recognition of that meaning can only make "the judicious" (to whom Mr. Cabell is constantly appealing) grieve without affecting the groundlings in one way or another. To attempt public prosecution of him about Jesus Christ, and guffaw over the amours of the "angels."

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 1921

Date and Destination	Per	Chl	Br	USA	Fr	Jap	Per
TODAY.							
Japan, Canada, U. S. A., and Europe	E. of Asia	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, Canada, U. S. A., Europe	via Canada	..	..	..	..	..	15.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan, Canada, U. S. A., Europe	E. of Asia	..	..	..	..	..	14.00
Vladivostok and Siberia	via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	14.00
Wenchow	Hankow	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Amoy	Tientsin	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Amoy	..	..	..	..	..	..	17.00
Foochow	Hsichih	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Stow, H'kong, C'lon	Chenan	15.00	..	..	..	..	14.30
Swatow, H'kong, C'lon	Kwonggang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
W'wei, C'lon, and T'sin	Koonshing	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Chefoo and Newchwang	Hsinfung	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
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Amoy and Swatow	Kaho	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Swatow, H'kong, C'lon	Tean	15.00	..	..	..	..	14.30
Swatow & Hongkong	..	..	..	..	..	..	14.30
Hankow	Wuchang	..	..	..	..	..	..
Swatow & Hongkong	Kwonggang	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ningpo	Kiangteen	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	..	..	..	..	..

TOMORROW.							
Japan, H'kong, Canada, U. S. A., Europe	Nanking	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Japan, via Kobe	Kamo Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
W'wei, C'lon, and T'sin	Koonshing	13.30	..	..	..	..	..
Manila direct	Cross Keys	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Amoy, C'lon, and T'sin	Tungchow	9.00	8.30	..	..	..	8.30
Japan, H'kong, Canada, U. S. A., Europe	via ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
U. S. A. and Europe	Nanking	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Japan Ports	Kamo Maru	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Monday, April 4.							
Tongkong and Canton	Shiung	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan Ports	Nigata Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Japan Ports	..	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Tongkong	Sinkiang	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Vladivostok and Siberia	via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Tuesday, April 5.							
W'wei, C'lon, and T'sin	Shuntien	14.00	13.30	..	..	..	13.30
Japan Ports	Yamashiro M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Wednesday, April 6.							
Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U. S. A., Europe	Tenyo M.	11.30	..	..	..	..	11.00
Japan, H'kong, Canada, U. S. A., and Europe	via ..	..	15.00	..	..	..	14.30
Amoy and Hongkong	..	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Thursday, April 7.							
Amoy, H'kong, C'lon	Soochow	8.00	..	..	..	..	7.30
Hongkong and Canton	E. of Japan	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Friday, April 8.							
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Saturday, April 9.							
Stow, H'kong, C'lon	Yinchow	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Swatow and Hongkong	..	..	9.30	..	..	..	..
Sunday, April 10.							
Hongkong, Straits, India, & Europe	via Suez	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Monday, April 11.							
Manila direct	Shinyo Maru	11.30	..	..	..	..	11.00
Japan, Canada, U. S. A., Europe	Monteagle	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
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The M.M. s.s. Chibi has been delayed and will sail for Marseilles and ports on Friday, April 15. The tender Whangpoo with passengers will leave the French Mail jetty at 2 p.m. the same afternoon and heavy baggage must be delivered to the Company's Office before noon on April 14.

The China Mail s.s. China was due to sail from San Francisco on Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai by way of Honolulu and Japan ports on April 24.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyue left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

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The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru left Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is expected to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Pyrrhus, from United Kingdom, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Monday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Edmore left Seattle for Yokohama on Sunday, March 27.

The P.M. s.s. Ecuador is due to sail from San Francisco today and is expected to arrive in Shanghai by way of Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on April 29.

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The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia left Hongkong on Thursday and is due at Woosung at 8 o'clock this morning. The tender with inbound passengers is expected to reach the Customs jetty about 10 o'clock.

The Asia sails for Vancouver by way of Japan ports early tomorrow morning and the tender Alexandra with outgoing passengers and hand baggage will leave at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

The Adl. Line s.s. Eldridge arrived at Seattle from Yokohama on Tuesday.

The China Mail s.s. Nanking left Hongkong on Thursday and is due at Woosung tomorrow morning. The Nanking will sail for San Francisco by way of Yokohama and Honolulu tomorrow afternoon.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

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The C.M. s.s. Kwangtai left Hongkong for Shanghai on Wednesday.

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Mar. 31	Newchwang, port	Kiangyue	Chl. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 1	Hankow, etc.	Luenbu	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 1	Hankow, etc.	Forosa	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 1	Chuncking, ports	Loongmow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 1	H'kong, C'ton	Tashun	Chl. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 1	Hongkong, Spore	Nile	Br. China Mail
Apr. 1	Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap. S.M.R. Co.
Apr. 1	St'ow, H'kong, C'ton	Tunehing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 1	Hamburg, ports	Imien Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
Apr. 1	Tientsin, port	Ningchow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 1	Tientsin, port	Thesens	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 1	Wuhu	Halvdan	Nor. K.M.A.
Apr. 1	Ningpo	Wakamiya M.	Jap.
Apr. 1	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 1	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chl. N.S.S.N. Co.

Arrivals

Date	From	Ships Name	Flag Agents
Apr. 1	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chl. N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 1	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 1	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 1	Hongkong	Unda	Br. A.P. Co.
Apr. 1	Japan	Gokensan Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
Apr. 1	Tsingtao	Anshin M.	Jap. S.M.R. Co.
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